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The patent references attached and identified on PTO-1449 disclose various cryptographic systems.

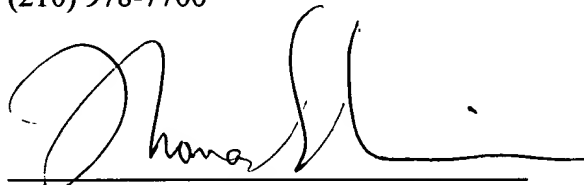
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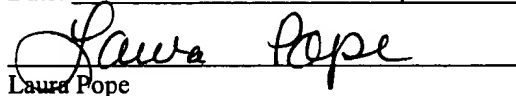
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**OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Relevant Pages, Place of Publication)**

Pseudorandom Generator Based on Clipped Hopfield Neural Network, IEEE 1998, Cheng et al

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